The Cartoon Bird

Biking against wind
near Kiwanis Island

and a bird actually sticks
in flight above me. It gives

up and reverses itself
instantly, like a bird in a cartoon.

Now, the wind behind, seems it cannot
move again! My science self concludes,

“Trapped in narrow whirlwind,
a column of equi-directional air!”

Suddenly it plummets to explode
into Sykes creek, emerging with a fish!

we all need to
use conditions,
an art of course.